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They invigorate the Stomach and stimulate the torpid liver and bowels, which render them of unequalled efficacy in cleansing the blood of all impurities, and imparting new life and vigor to the whole system.

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Cleanse the Vitiated Blood whenever you find its impurities bursting through the skin in Pimples, Eruptions or Sores cleanse it when you find it obstructed and sluggish in the veins; cleanse it when it is foul, and your feelings will tell you when. Keep the blood pure and the health of the system will follow.

PIN, TAPE and other WORMS, lurking in the system of so many thousands, are effectually destroyed and removed. For full directions, read carefully the circular around each bottle, printed in four languages—English, German, French and Spanish.

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Annual Revenue, £703,450 19 9

AGENT IN VICTORIA
ROBERT BURNABY, Government Street
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THE
People's Insurance Co,
OF SAN FRANCISCO.

(From the Philadelphia "Underwriter.")

CALIFORNIA, THOUGH IT MAY BE a young state, can justly boast of having as reliable fire insurance corporations as are to be found in this country, and it is a pleasing duty for us to note the "People's" in addition which has just been made to those prominent companies which have preceded it to the East to transact business.

The People's Insurance Company of San Francisco transacts both a fire and marine business. Its capital stock, $200,000 fully paid up in United States gold coin its surplus being $150,000, making its total cash assets $350,000 gold. As it is a successful company, of course it is a popular one, and this popularity is owing to the fact that its Board of Directors comprise many of the most upright, and wealthy business men of San Francisco, while the stockholders, who are personally responsible for all debts and liabilities, represent in the aggregate $20,000,000. The officers are, C F McDermot, Esq. President; John H Wise, Esq, Vice President; and H G Horner, Esq, Secretary, gentlemen in whom the most implicit confidence can be placed, and whose abilities as underwriters are highly appreciated by those who know them.

It is unnecessary for us to detail the investment assets of the "People's," as the company's statement immediately upon presentation passed the ordeal of Insurance Superintendent Miller, of New York, and it has been admitted to do business in that State; but we may remark that the "People's" has NO LIABILITIES. Companies of first class character and standing like the People's may be hailed with delight in every locality and we bid it welcome to the East.

T. N. HIBBEN, Agent for British Columbia.
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THE UNION INSURANCE COMPANY
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☞ Bookbinding of every description promptly executed in the best style. ja28

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THE
VANCOUVER COAL CO.
DELIVER AT NANAIMO THEIR
BEST DOUGLAS COAL
At $5 50 per Ton
Newcastle COAL at
$4 50 per Ton.
DROSS or SLACK
at $2 50 per Ton
ja6 1m dkw

NOTICE

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE THE undersigned will deliver coal in town at the following rates, viz—
Best Nanaimo Coal at $10 the English ton.
Newcastle Coal at $9 50 do do
FULL WEIGHT GUARANTEED.
Orders may be left at Messrs Willson & Rickman's Corner Fort and Douglas streets.
ja1 R. BRODRICK & CO.

WOOD
BEST PINE WOOD—$4 50 PER CORD, BY GEO. STELLY,
ja24 1m Corner Johnson and Blanchard sts

GreatReduction in Wood
FROM AND AFTER THIS I SHALL DELIVER wood
At $4 50 per Cord.
A. BRSWICK,
ja28 Cormorant Street, near Douglas.

NOTICE.
AFTER THIS DATE THE UNDERSIGNED will deliver Coal to parties in town at the following rates per English ton:—
Best Nanaimo Coal.....$10 00
Newcastle Coal..... 9 50
JAMES FRAIN, Sproat's Wharf, Store Street.
Victoria, Dec 31, 1870. ja1

Anthracite Coal for Sale
THE QUEEN CHARLOTTE COAL Mining Company have on hand a large quantity of Anthracite Coal at BROWN K & CO'S Wharf, which it offers for sale at $12 PER TON It will be found very superior for family use, going much further than Bituminous Coal and emitting no smoke or offensive smell in burning no16

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WHARF STREET, VICTORIA, B.C
AGENTS for the Dawson & Douglas Whaling Company Limited.
AGENTS for Ibbotson & Co's Celebrated Fraser River Salmon. no1

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A H FRANCIS
HAS TAKEN THE STORE ON FORT street adjoining the TEMPERANCE HOTEL, known as the BEE HIVE, where he would be exceedingly happy to accommodate his old customers and all others who may deem him worthy their patronage. In view of his sad losses, and the heavy pressure brought to bear upon him arising out of it, he hopes the public will not overlook him
On hand as usual—
GROCERIES, GRAIN, FLOUR, FEED
FRUIT, BACON, BUTTER,
&c., &c, CHEAP FOR CASH
SUPERIOR HAVANA CIGARS and Tobacco,
Apples by the box. Fresh Milk from the best Dairies constantly on hand.
COUNTRY PRODUCE bought for cash or taken in exchange for goods
ja6 A. H. FRANCIS

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SMALL PROFITS & QUICK SALES!
J. MOSS,
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N.B.—Fresh arrivals of Fruit by every steamer. ja12

C. Strouss.
Importer of
Dry Goods and General Merchandise
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UNDERTAKERS,
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Government Street,
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This Establishment
Is now Open for the Reception of Guests
And is recommended to the Traveling Public as a
FIRST-CLASS HOTEL.
THE ROOMS HAVE ALL BEEN
REFURNISHED,
And particular attention is paid to
CLEANLINESS AND GOOD ORDER
APARTMENTS will be let by the DAY, WEEK MONTH, at a Great Reduction from Former Rates, and Travelers are requested to inspect the Hotel before seeking accommodation elsewhere.
J. FRIED, Proprietor
ja20 1m

Bank Exchange Saloon
CORNER LANGLEY AND YATES STS,
WM LOHSE, - - - - Proprietor.
THE BEST
WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS
de30 3m dispensed.

Temperance Hotel,
BRICK BUILDING, Cor. FORT AND DOUGLAS STREETS
VICTORIA, B. C.
J. LAWRY ROSKING, - Proprietoress
THIS BEAUTIFULLY SITUATED AND Well Furnished Establishment is open for the reception of guests, where the public generally and ESPECIALLY FAMILIES, will find every comfort of a well conducted house.
THE TABLE is supplied with the Best the Market affords.
TERMS.

Board and Lodging per Week	$6 00 & $7 00
Board and Lodging per Day	1 00
Board per Week	5 00

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ST. CHARLES HOTEL,
CORNER FRONT AND MORRISON STREETS,
PORTLAND, OREGON,
JOHN J. JACOBS - - Proprietor.
HAVING LEASED THIS NEW AND Elegant Hotel, which is built of brick iron-bound, with Family and Single Rooms SPLENDIDLY FURNISHED for ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY GUESTS and supplied with all the modern improvements for their comfort, with fine Ventilators, Baths Gas, etc.
The proprietor trusts that the reputation won for the St George Hotel in Victoria, B.C, while under his management, will be a guarantee to his numerous friends and the public of his purpose and ability to make this house justly celebrated and worthy of patronage. de7

Cosmopolitan Hotel,
SEATTLE, W. T.
Leary & Wheeler - - Proprietor
THIS HOUSE IS SITUATED ON THE corner of Commercial and Washington streets and in proximity to the Post Office, Bank, &c. Travelers can rely on good accommodation. au31 6mdw

Pacific Telegraph Hotel.
Store Street, between Herald and Fisguard,
VICTORIA, B.C.
Andrew Astrico - - - Proprietor.
THE MOST COMMODIOUS & CLEAN Hotel in Victoria It is conducted on the European principle. The Table is supplied with the very best the market affords.
MEALS at all hours of the day. Private Diningrooms for Families.
CHARGES—Board and Lodging per week, $5 50 to $6 50; Board and Lodging per day, $1; Single Meals, 37½ cents; Beds, 50 cents.
TERMS—Cash in Advance.
☞ A Fire-proof Safe in the House. ☜ de18 3m

TEN-PIN SALOON,
GOVERNMENT STREET.
THIS ESTABLISHMENT HAS BEEN fitted up in the most elegant style, and is now open to the Public The Bar is supplied with the Best of Wines, Liquors and Cigars.
☞ A FREE LUNCH EVERY DAY. ☜
THE TEN-PIN ALLEY is one of the most complete on the Pacific Coast W. LUSH, Proprietor.
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BELMONT SALOON
GOVERNMENT ST., CORNER OF HUMBOLDT
VICTORIA, B C,
Wm. Craswell, - - - - Proprietor.
ONLY THE BEST BRANDS OF WINES & LIQUORS dispensed.
☞ Families Supplied by the Case or Bottle
ja22 3m

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&c. &c.:
(Free from Adulteration.
Manufactured by
CROSSE & BLACKWELL
PURVEYORS TO THE QUEEN,
SOHO SQUARE, LONDON

CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S
Well known Manufactures are obtainable from every respectable Provision Dealer in the World.
Purchasers should see that they are supplied with C. B.'s genuine goods, and that inferior articles are not substituted for them.
To insure thorough wholesomeness their Pickles are prepared in Pure Malt Vinegar, boiled in Oak Vats, by means of PLATINUM STEAM COILS; and are precisely similar in quality to those supplied by them for use at
HER MAJESTY'S TABLE.
C & B. are Agents for LEA & PERRINS' CELEBRATE WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE, and are Manufacturers every description of Oilmen's Stores of the highest quality. my19 1 aw

NOTICE.
MR THOMAS WILLIAMS IS NO LONGER authorized to contract for any work or collect any monies on my account. Mrs MARY CAMERON, Cormorant street.
Victoria, Jan. 30, 1871. 1o1

Business Cards.

JAMES LOWE T. L. STAHLSCHMIDT
LOWE, STAHLSCHMIDT & CO.,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
WHARF STREET,
ja8 Victoria, V. I.

THE HIGHEST CASH PRICE PAID FOR
FURS, HIDES,
WOOL, SHEEPSKINS,
AND CALFSKINS.
BY
L. & J. BOSCOWITZ, Yates Street,
de28

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Sparring Exhibition!!
OPEN ON MONDAY AND SATURDAY evening of each week at Armstrong's
OLD LAGER BEER CELLAR,
Corner Johnson & Store Streets.
Wm. POOLE, M.C
N.B.—Private instruction imparted every afternoon from 4 to 6, by Wm Poole. ja8 1

Agricultural Implements
EX 'ADA.'
RANSOMES & SIMS'
Ploughs;
Harrows;
Turnip Drills;
Grubbers.

PATENT NORWEGIAN COOKING APPARATUS.
For sale by
J. S. DEAS,
ja28 1m Fort street.

LD. LOWENBERG
REAL ESTATE AGENT,
Government street, near corner of Broughton
WILL PAY PARTICULAR ATTENTION to selling, purchasing and leasing property; to negotiating loans and transacting everything connected with Real Estate business.
Maps of all the different Districts on the Island may be seen at his office. Parties desirous of purchasing homesteads or making investments, will find on his Bulletin Board Town Lots on nearly every street; Farms of Gardening Land in every District; one of which affords a rare chance for investment.
Money on bond and mortgage to loan, in sums to suit the demands.
Conveyances of every description done at reasonable rates. ja14 1m

REBUILDING OF THE CATHEDRAL.
Notice to Architects
THE CHRIST CHURCH BUILDING Committee invite Architects to send in by the 31st March next Designs, Working Drawings and Specifications, under seal addressed to the undersigned, for a Wooden Framed Church capable of seating 600 persons, to be plastered inside and rough-cast outside, to be built on a foundation of rubble-stone masonry, on the site of the former Cathedral, on Church Hill, Victoria British Columbia. The cost of the building is not to exceed $10,000. The Committee are of opinion that Gothic would be the style most suitable to the site and material of construction proposed.
A premium of $250 will be paid for that Design and Drawings which may be selected by the Committee and which will be retained as their property. All other plans sent in will be returned under seal to the respective designers of the same.
By order of the above Committee.
HENRY P. PELLEW CREASE, Hon Secretary.
Victoria, B C, Jan 7th, 1871. ja8

NEW GOODS
EX "ADA" FROM LONDON.
Thos. Wilson & Co.
HAVE RECEIVED
Crossly's Super Tapestry and Kidderminster Carpets; regrets and Drugget Squares;
Blankets, Flannels, and a general assortment of Staple Dry Goods, &c.
MASONIC HALL,
Government street, Victoria.

Communication between Victoria, Nanaimo, Comox, &c.

TENDERS ADDRESSED TO THE CHIEF Commissioner of Lands & Works and endorsed "Tender for the Conveyance of Mails to Nanaimo, &c," will be received at this office until noon of the 10th proximo, for the conveyance of mails by steamer between the following points, for one year from the 1st of March, 1871:
Between Victoria and Comox, twice a month each way.
Between Victoria and Nanaimo, calling at Harris' Landing, Maple Bay, and Salt Spring Island (inside settlement), once each way weekly.
Tenders to state the days and hours of departure of the various Mails for each place, the name and full description of the steamer by which it is proposed to carry the said mails, the rate per trip asked for the conveyance thereof as well as the rates of freight and passage money proposed to be charged, and to give the names of two persons willing to become security for the due performance of the contract, each in a sum not less than one-sixth of the amount of the contract for the year.
The Government will be disposed to give preference to the tender of any person who may offer the greatest facilities for the conveyance of the se mails by a seaworthy steamer of suitable capacity and speed, and who may agree to charge the least rate for the conveyance of passengers and produce between the above places, but does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.
Further particulars may be obtained on application at this office. By Command,
JOSEPH W. TRUTCH.
Lands & Works Office,
Victoria, Jan 18th, 1871. ja31 d&w1w

Canadian Oatmeal.
FELL & FINLAYSON
HAVE JUST IMPORTED 20,000 POUNDS of Fresh Canadian Oatmeal from the celebrated Rockwood Mills, Ontario. The Rockwood Mills gained the First Premium at the London and Paris Exhibitions. It is fresher and superior to any Oatmeal previously imported to this colony, and will be sold at
ja12 PRICES MUCH LOWER!!

A. Casamayou & Co.
COMMISSION MERCHANTS & WHOLESALE Dealers in
Groceries, Provisions, Havana Cigars
AND FRENCH PRESERVES;
Yates Street, Victoria, Vancouver Island oc23

Boots and Shoes.

Boots! Boots! Boots!
A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF VICTORIA Manufacture at
W. HEATHORN'S
BOOT & SHOE MANUFACTORY,
Government street near the Post Office, Victoria, V. I.
BOOTS & SHOES made to order. REPAIRING done.
☞ Leather & Shoe Findings For Sale
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C. A. NOLTEMEIER.
[LATE NOLTEMEIER BROS.]
IMPORTER & DEALER IN
Boots & Shoes
All the Latest Styles received by every Steamer, which he offers
VERY LOW FOR CASH
Government [Street next to the St. Nicholas Hotel. de18 1m

Jesse Cowper,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN
Boots and Shoes
LEATHER AND SHOE FINDINGS
Yates St., opp. Wells, Fargo & Co.'s.
At the old stand of Webster & Co., is prepared to supply he wants of the public in his line.

THE LATEST STYLES
Received by every Steamer from England and San Francisco. ja6

For Sale—To Let—To Lease.

FOR SALE CHEAP.
100 BOXES OF APPLES—WARRANTED in good condition They are choice varieties and will keep till late in the Spring This is a fine chance for families who wish to be supplied at LOW PRICES. Call at A H FRANCIS' Fort street.
ja27 2w

TO LET
FURNISHED LODGINGS PLEASANTLY situated near Government Buildings Apply by letter to O. office of this paper fe3

FOR SALE—LOW.
THE STOCK, FIXTURES AND GOODWILL of Business of the General Store, at the corner of Yates and Douglas streets,
Apply to J CROSSON, On the premises.
☞ The Store to Let. fe2 1m 2p*

TO LET
ON THE ESQUIMALT ROAD—BETWEEN the two bridges, A SMALL COTTAGE and 2 fullsized lots, well fenced, containing a well stocked fruit and flower garden, well, outhouses, &c. Apply at The Colonist Office fe1

TO LET.
A SPLENDID COTTAGE, IN FINE order, situated near the centre of the town, will be rented VERY LOW to a good tenant Apply immediately at this Office. ja27 1w*

ROYAL AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY
OF ENGLAND.
LEICESTER MEETING, 1868.
UNPRECEDENTED SUCCESS
THE FOLLOWING PRIZES WERE REWARDED TO
J. & F. HOWARD,
Britannia Iron Works, Bedford,
The First Prize for the Best Wheel Plough for General Purposes.
The First Prize for the Best Wheel Plough for Light Land
The First Prize for the Best Swing Plough for General Purposes.
The First Prize for the Best Swing Plough for Light Land
The First Prize for the Best Subsoil Plough.
The First Prize for the Best Harrows for Horse Power.
The First Only Prize for the Best Steam Cultivating Apparatus for Farms of moderate size.
The First and Only Prize for the Best 5-tined Steam Cultivator.
The First and Only Prize for the Best Steam Harrow
The First and Only Prize for the Best Steam Windlass.
The Silver Medal for their Patent Safety Boiler
J & F. HOWARD thus received
TEN FIRST PRIZES, ONE SECOND PRIZE AND A SILVER MEDAL
Carrying off almost every Prize for which they competed and this after trial the most severe and prolonged
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DINNEFORD'S SOLUTION OF MAGNESIA.
DINNEFORD'S FLUID MAGNESIA
Is the great remedy for
Acidity of the Stomach, Headache, Heartburn, Indigestion, Sour Eructations and Bilious Affections;
IT IS THE PHYSICIAN'S CURE FOR GOUT, RHEUMATIC GOUT, GRAVEL, and all other complaints of the Bladder.
And as a safe and gentle medicine for Infants, Children Delicate Females, and for the sickness of Pregnancy, Dinneford's Magnesia is indispensable
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Ontario School Bill.

On the 6th of January the Hon Mr Cameron, Provincial Secretary of Ontario, moved the second reading of his new School Bill. It has been the habit of public writers and speakers in this Colony to refer to the 'Canadian School System,' meaning thereby the school system of Ontario, or Upper Canada. It will be as well, therefore, that the reader should carry that fact in his mind, in glancing at the new Bill now before the Ontario Legislature. The new Bill proposes to make very few changes in a school system which has been found to work so well. Some of the changes are, however, important, whether regarded in the light of their relations to Ontario, or as abstract principles; and we would, therefore, invite attention to them. The Bill proposes to make attendance at the Public Schools during a certain period every year compulsory. This is an entirely new principle in Canada. It has long been recognised in Prussia; and has, to a certain extent, been introduced in England under Forster's Bill. In support of this *innovation*, as some are disposed to regard it, it is urged that, as the Schools are maintained entirely, or almost entirely, at the public expense, upon the principle that ignorance is a public, a national evil,—education of the masses a public, a national good, the public have a right to expect full value for the expense of maintaining these schools. Therefore it is considered desirable and just that all persons having children of school age should send them to school for a reasonable period, in order that they may be educated, themselves benefitted, those who support the schools benefitted, the state benefitted. It appears that during the year 1869, 432,450 children attended the Common Schools, and 34,-900 absented themselves. The proportion of non-attendance, although smaller than in almost any other country—smaller, we believe, than in any other country excepting Prussia—is thought to be too large in justice to the public who support the schools, and too large for the interests of those directly concerned. Under these circumstances it has been deemed proper that the principle of compulsory attendance should be inaugurated. The next change in point of importance is that it is proposed to declare all the Public Schools of Ontario free. Now, we must stop to explain in what sense the term 'free' is here employed. In Ontario a certain proportion of the money necessary to support the Public Schools is contributed from the general revenue of the Province, and the other portion (about one-half) is raised in the school districts, either by means of a tax levied upon property in each school district or in part by this means and in part by a tuition fee charged for each pupil in attendance. It has been the practice to leave it to the people in each school section to decide whether any part of the local quota should be raised by means of tuition fees; and the tendency to do away with these fees has made such progress that out of the 4,500 schools now in operation in Ontario, it appears that only in three hundred have tuition fees been retained. The proposition is not to make the schools free in that sense which would throw their sustenance wholly upon the state; but only in that sense which would sweep away the last vestige of tuition fees. Under the new Bill education will be no more largely sustained from the Provincial Treasury than has hitherto been the case. The only difference will be that none of the local quota shall be raised by means of tuition fees—the schools shall be thrown open free to every child in the land in so far as any direct charge for attendance is concerned. It will be seen that where the percentage of schools still adhering to the free system is so infinitessimal, the change will be more in theory than in practice. The new Bill also provides for introduction into the common schools subjects of education that have not heretofore been taught, such as elements of natural history, agricultural chemistry, mechanics and agriculture, and thus those schools would accomplish an important work in giving the young an idea of those branches so useful in active life, thereby benefitting the country by developing knowledge and skill. The other provisions of the new Bill are of less public interest, such as making better regulations for the inspection and supervision of schools, ascertaining the fitness of teachers, dealing with the question of school sites, and changing the title of the schools from that of 'Common Schools,' to 'Public Schools,' in order to overcome a prejudice. The alterations proposed by this Bill are, some of them, very important, and they would appear to be in a right direction, calculated to render the educational system of Ontario still more national and efficient.

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Esquimalt, 34 February, 1871. fe4

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	Am't of Taxes.	Total.
Arins, Tommas		
block 34, lot 9	$1 50	
costs and expenses	4 00	$5 50
Bridgman, R		
block 23, lot 5	1 12½	
costs and expenses	4 00	5 12½
Browne, W H J		
block 30, lot 2	2 25	
costs and expenses	4 00	6 25
Browne, J R G		
block 1, lot 18	2 55	
block 12, lot 2	3 75	
costs and expenses	6 00	12 30
Carol, J P		
block 17, lot 6	2 40	
block 32, lot 10	1 35	
costs and expenses	6 00	9 75
Campbell, F		
block 19 lot 8	75	
costs and expenses	4 00	4 75
Dosier, Mrs		
block 23, lot 22	1 12½	
costs and expenses	4 00	5 12½
David, Jules		
block 24, lot 12	2 62½	
costs and expenses	4 00	6 62½
Hodgson, R W		
block 33, lot 3	1 35	
costs and expenses	4 00	5 35
Hill, John		
block 26, lot 10	2 25	
block 32, lot 12	1 35	
costs and expenses	6 00	9 60
Hobbs, Sarah		
block 29, lot 10	2 62½	
costs and expenses	4 00	6 62½
Lecuyer, Arsine		
block 9, lot 7	1 50	
costs and expenses	4 00	5 50
Reed, Geo		
block 9 lot 10	1 50	
block 10 lot 3	1 50	
block 10 lot 5	1 50	
block 30 lot 3	2 25	
block 32 lot 9	1 35	
costs and expenses	12 00	20 10
Selby W H D		
block 16 lot 9	2 25	
block 27 lot 4	1 65	
block 32 lot 23	1 50	
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VICTORIA, 21 February, 1871.

SEALED TENDERS FOR THE SUPPLY of the undermentioned articles for the use of the Gaol, from the 1st of March to the 1st December, 1871, are to be sent in to the Clerk of the Police Court (under cover to the Stipendiary Magistrate) on or before the 22th day of February next, after which no tender will be received. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted

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Soap,	do	Potatoes,	do
Salt,	do	Coal	per ton
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fe2 H B GOOD, Clerk to S M.

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W. C. SIEFKEN, Secretary.

Victoria, V. I, January 31st, 1871. fe3

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Dated 1st February, 1871

E G ALSTON, Registrar General

Land Registry Office, Victoria fe3

NOTICE.

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THE BRITISH COLONIST.

Sunday Morning, Feb 5, 1871.

Shipping Intelligence.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

Feb 4—None.

CLEARED.

Feb 4—None.

MARRIED

In this city, 2d February, by Rev Mr Gribbell, Mr Edward Quinnel to Miss Julia Sophia, second daughter of James Wilcox, Esq, all of this city.

Meeting of the British Columbian Investment and Loan Society.

A meeting of this society was held according to notice at the office of Messrs Lowe, Stahlschmidt & Co, on Friday, 3rd February. The Chair was taken at 3:30 p.m. by the Vice President, Mr T L Stahlschmidt, the following named shareholders being present: Messrs Aikman, McQuade, L Franklin, Burnaby, Grancini, Thomson, Garesche, Earle, W C Ward, R E Jackson, E Levy, Ruff, W H McCrea.

After the usual formal proceedings the Chairman read the following Report:

The directors of the British Columbian Investment and Loan Society beg to make the following report:

The society was established at the end of 1869 and has now completed the first year of its existence. Being the first of its kind inaugurated in this colony it has met with the usual difficulties attendant on new enterprises everywhere, in addition to which the generally depressed state of affairs ruling throughout the year, but more particularly at the commencement tended to render its introduction a work requiring more than usual care, prudence and energy.

It is, however, a matter of congratulation that the society has made slow but certain progress, and the state of its affairs at the present moment is such that your directors are hopeful that the society will soon attain such dimensions as will give it a wide area of usefulness and yield a proportionately remunerative mode of investment to shareholders.

The improved and more confident tone at present extending through all classes of the community, owing to causes upon which it is not necessary to expatiate, tends to confirm this opinion.

Your directors have exercised all possible vigilance in examining the applications laid before them and are convinced that the investments of the funds made will be satisfactory to the most cautious shareholder. Of 17 applications submitted 11 were accepted and the balance rejected on various grounds.

The greatest regard has been paid to economy—a vital point in the establishment of these societies—all services of the officers have been voluntarily rendered, and the directors cannot lay too great stress on the untiring zeal of the Secretary and Treasurer, Mr W C Sifken, although entirely unremunerated.

In accordance with the Investment and Loan Society's Ordinance, 1869, your directors considered it advisable in August last to further invite the confidence of the public by advertising for deposits. The amount to be so received is limited to three-fourths of the sums invested. The interest to be allowed was on due deliberation fixed at the following rates:

For 6 months or under, 6 ₱ cent ₱ annum
9 do do 7 do do
12 do or over, 8 do do

and your Directors were not disappointed in their idea that the Society had taken some hold of public faith as sums amounting in the aggregate to $1700 have been received and are now in the hands of the Society.

A statement of the affairs of the Society will be laid before you as on 1st January last, in addition to which your Directors have to state that the

Amount of capital suscribed is	$12 350
Of which is paid up	4629
The sum when have amounted to	5150
Portion of which are already repaid.	
Total preliminary expenses for establishment of the Society are	$245 12
Amount of cash on deposit	1760

The amounts as laid before you have in accordance with the Ordinance been submitted to the Government and by it referred to Mr R Ker, the Auditor-General, in whose hands they now are. Should the same meet with his approval, of which your Directors entertain no doubt, after allowing 10 per cent of preliminary expenses to be written off out of the past year's profits and making due provision for interest on deposits, your Directors recommend that a dividend be paid to the holders of Permanent Stock and placed to the credit of Accumulating Shareholders, the latter to be calculated on the amount of subscriptions, less the deposit fees, all at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, which will leave a small sum to be carried forward to the profit and loss account.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

The accounts having been read by the Secretary, the Chairman, after a few brief remarks, put the question as to the adoption of the report of the Directors, which was unanimously carried.

The election of Directors for the present year was then proceeded with and the following gentlemen were elected:—E Grancini, F Garesche, J Lowe, E Marvin, T Pritchard, T L Stahlschmidt, C W R Thomson, L Franklin, J R Stewart, P McQuade. The meeting then adjourned.

ANOTHER SHOWER OF HONORS.—Under date Ottawa, 10th Jan, an Ottawa correspondent says, "It is stated here that honors have been conferred on parties connected with the Red River expedition as follows. To be Knight Commanders of the Order of St Michael and St George—Lieut-General Lindsay, Col Patrick Robertson Ross, A G., and Col Wolseley. To be Companions of the same Order—Lieut-Col McNeil, V C., Lieut-Col Jarvis, Lieut-Col Cassault, and Lieut-Col Irvine.

THE FASHION. — Among poplins the most fashionable thing is the clean tartan of the Marquis of Lorne, prospective son-in-law to our most gacious Queen. To the trousseau of the Princess will be added six magnificent costums of the Argyll Campbell clan pattern, and all the young ladies of England and America are anxious to share her good fortune, at least so far as in possessing a dress of the same tartan. The plaid is very beautiful. It consists of white twilled silk bars, upon a blue green and black ground, and will be becoming to both blondes and brunettes.

DRUNK.—Mary, an Indian woman, was convicted of drunkenness yesterday and fined five shillings or six hours imprisonment.

WASH.—The Tiger and Deluge steamers were out for a wash yesterday and appeared to be in excellent working order.

THE CALIFORNIA is due to-day from Puget Sound.

Hon J W Trutch—Correspondence.

VICTORIA, Jan 30, 1871.

HON J W TRUTCH.

DEAR SIR—At a meeting recently held, by many of your friends in the city, we were appointed a committee to wait on you and invite you to attend a public dinner to be given at such a time as you might appoint.

Your friends have heard with much regret that you are about to bid a final adieu to the Colony, and they desire therefore to offer you some mark of their respect for you as a private gentleman, and their appreciation of your services as a Public Officer.

We are, Dear Sir,
Your Most Obedient Servants,
A. ROCKE ROBERTSON,
W. C. WARD,
J. ROBERTSON STEWART.

VICTORIA, Feb 1st 1871.

Gentlemen—I thank you very heartily for your kind invitation to attend a public dinner on the occasion of my approaching departure from the Colony. But as I occupy an official position in which I fully expect and intend to return to Victoria upon the accomplishment of the mission which His Excellency the Governor has done me the honor to entrust to me, it would not become me to accept the compliment you offer. At the same time I beg you to be assured that I fully appreciate the kind feelings which have influenced my friends in this very gratifying expression of their estimation of me.

Believe me sincerely yours,
JOSEPH W. TRUTCH.

Messrs A Rocke Robertson, W C Ward, J Robertson Stewart.

OFFICIAL NOTIFICATIONS.—The Governor has been pleased to appoint Kenneth McKenzie, Esq, to be a Justice of the Peace in the Court of Revision for the Municipal Council, Victoria. More than two-thirds of the resident land owners or occupiers in Esquimalt, Metchosin, Highland, Kennedy and Lake Districts having applied under the 'Fence Ordinance, 1869,' that the section of land comprising these districts may be erected into a 'Fence District,' the same has been created the 'Southern Fence District.' Notice is given that lists of persons liable to pay Road Tax for the year 1871 are to be seen at the offices of the various collectors, viz, Mr E Mallandaine, for Victoria and surrounding districts; Mr William Stewart, for Nanaimo; and Mr Joseph Rodello, for Comox.

FROZEN INNOCENTS.—A Minnesota paper tell a sad story of a little girl and boy who wandered away from the house of their father in Morrison county, in that State, and subsequently were found dead by the Indians. The boy lay on his back, having apparently died without much suffering. The girl had taken her rings from her ears, and, wrapping them with a lock of her hair in a small piece of cloth, had put the little parcel in her pocket, and then laid down and died from cold hunger and exposure.

MANITOBA has been divided into four electoral districts for the purposes of representation in the Dominion House of Commons, viz, Selkirk, Lisgar, Marquette and Provencher. Lisgar is the Governor-General of Canada Selkirk was the founder of the settlement; Marquette, was the traveller and explorer, and Provencher the first bishop.

THE NORTHWEST. — An Ottawa correspondent of the 12th January says the Dominion Government have completed arrangements for the establishment of a line of communication with Fort Garry, through British territory. The line is to be open for communication early in the ensuing season.

HOME AGAIN.—Mr H M Cohen, the pioneer clothier, has opened at the commodious store on Johnson street opposite the Miner's Saloon, a large assortment of furnishing goods, clothing and fashionable hats and caps. Mr Cohen has made arrangements for the reception of extensive additions to his stock by every arrival from San Francisco. Don't pass the Pioneer's door.

QUEBEC MARITIME TRADE — Returns of inward vessels in the port of Quebec; 1,004 vessels of 728,446 tons. This is in excess of 1869 by 11 vessels and 54,232 tons. Outward, 1,007 vessels of 706 360 tons. This exceeds 1869 by 14 vessels and 36,365 tons.

FROM OCEAN TO OCEAN.—Sir A T Galt presided at the anniversary missionary meeting of the Wesleyan Methodists, Montreal, on the 9th January. In the course of his speech he said that before the lapse of another year the Dominion of Canada would extend from ocean to ocean.

ALTERATION.—The hours for the Esquimalt mail service have been altered so that the van may leave Esquimalt at 10 a.m. and 12:30 p.m; and Victoria at 11:30 a.m. and 4 p.m.

LEATHER AND SHOE FINDINGS.—Mr R Maynard of the Occidental Buildings, Fort street, is in constant receipt of leather and shoefindings of the best qualities.

ACCIDENT.—A horse ran away on the Saanich road, on Friday night and a pony phaeton to which he was attached was destroyed. The occupants were fortunately uninjured.

WHAT DOES IT MEAN?—A telegram announces that an U S officer has arrived at the port of Los Angelos, California, for the purpose of preparing a system of defence by means of torpedoes.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.—According to our late Canadian exchanges the Dominion Parliament will assemble for dispatch of business on the 16th inst.

THE bark Antipodes will be towed to Burrard Inlet by the steamer Grappler.

THE PACIFIC is expected to arrive on Wednesday.

BOARD AND LODGING.—Gentlemen can be accommodated with Board or Lodging or both, with the comforts of an English home at a private residence. Address, Mrs Bushell, Kane street, next door to Dr Bellamy's private residence

CHRISTMAS, 1870.—The show of fancy goods for the season will commence on Saturday next, the 17th inst, at London House, Government street. *

FELL'S COFFEE, superior to any other manufactured on the Coast, may be obtained of all respectable dealers throughout the Colony.

NEW GOODS, Jouvin's Gloves, &c., just received by Express at Victoria House. *

The Legislative Triplets.

EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST:—The reports of proceedings in the Legislative Council published in the COLONIST cannot be correct.

Bunster is made to say 'The people of Comox have a big disgust on towards the Sir James Douglas,' and again he proposes to 'add' one word '*instead*' of another.

Humphreys says (if the report is correct) 'I bucked against the Government.' He also uses the word 'hornswoggle,' and calls the Chief Commissioner 'a boot maker.' If these are not mistakes of the press I beg leave to say Bunster doesn't know what he says, and I beg leave to ask Humphreys—was he saddled when he 'bucked'? A legislator 'bucking' is as ugly as the word 'hornswoggle.' He may be fit to represent horses, but not men. Calling improper names is not wit but impudence.

Responsible Government is not fit for men who elect such representatives. A paternal Government would send these legislators to school.

The resolution with reference to the sale of the ship Sir James Douglas, proposed by DeCosmos, was written by Bunster. Of this I am certain, because it has no meaning—it is Bunster all over, and the true essence of beer. DeCosmos ought to write his own notices of motion.

If *Punch* were to present us a picture of 'The Legislators Bucking and Braying,' what would it be like? A long-eared donkey, braying 'hornswoggle,' and Bunster on his back with 'a big disgust on'? In the absence of *Punch*, Piper may give us 'The Legislators.'

I hope it is not necessary to present any evidence to His Excellency to prove that the Mainland and the Island are very much in need of schoolmasters. A FARMER.

Clinton, Jan 24.

By Electric Telegraph,

SPECIAL TO THE DAILY BRITISH COLONIST.

LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.

Europe.

LONDON, Feb 2—Odo Russell telegraphs from Versailles under date of Jan 31 that postal arrangements from Paris and Versailles to Havre and Dieppe have been reestablished. These ports are in communication with England.

The French authorities do not wish the Prussians to enter Paris until it has been revictualled.

BORDEAUX, Feb 2—The Government at Bordeaux has just issued a decree ordering elections for the National Assembly to be held on the 18th. It disqualifies for election to the National Assembly members of families reigning over France since 1779, persons who have acted as imperial officers or candidates in past elections, or who have held office as minsters senators, or Councillors of State under the Empire, and Prefects who have accepted office since the 2nd of December 1870.

LONDON, Feb 2—A letter from Col Duncan Kentry of the War Department in Bordeaux say:—There is an immense reaction in official circles and among the population against the Provisional Government. Ten millions of the people would vote for the restoration of the Empire to-morrow. France will refuse volunteer war. The Mobiles who are arrizing at Bordeaux shout "Vive la Emperor."

BASLE, Feb 1—Many thousands of Bourbaki's army have died from starvation.

The Prussians have taken at Cluny 100 officers, 2 brigadier-generals, 10 cannon and 7 mitralleurs.

Eight thousand men of the army of Bourbaki have escaped in the direction of Lyons. General Manteuffel has gone in pursuit.

The entrance of Bourbaki's army into Switzerland was affected in accordance with a convention between Generals Clinchart and Hersig.

FLORENCE, Feb 1—The Italian Chamber of Deputies has, by a vote of 232 against 29, resolved to transfer the capital to Rome.

BORDEAUX, Feb 1—The opposition journals have protested against the decree touching the electoral disqualifications. A deputation was sent to Jules Simon who declared that the decree of Paris abolished all disqualifications. Simon said he would insist on the execution of the Paris decree.

The public meeting elected the future commissioners of public safety which include Gambetta, Louis Blanc and Rochefort.

A telegram from Favre says—Yesterday the Germans agreed to ignore the elections in Alsace.

The French generals in the north and centre of France protest against the Prussian demands relative to the line of demarcation.

The 24th regiment including Garibaldi escaped the pursuit of Menteuffel. Manteuffel pursued the French to the Swiss frontier.

LONDON, Feb 2—The French prisoners are distributed through the cantons of Berne, Freebourg and Geneva.

The French are still entering Switzerland.

LILLE, Feb 2—Reso du Nord is in favor of peace and alleges that the appeals for resistance made by the muntcpality of Bordeaux are encroachments upon the powers of the constitutional assembly.

Meetings are being called in the northern departments to nominate candidates for the national assembly.

There are reasons to believe that a large majority of the people of France will elect representatives in favor of peace.

The terms of armistice are accepted by all the departments except Bouches du Rhone.

At Marseilles the elections will be proceeded with.

Favre has appealed to the Emperor of Prussia to pity Paris admitting that he had overstated the amount of provisions by several days. The Emperor sent in six million of rations in compliance with the request, also 1500 cattle.

California.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb 2—There is to be another match between Dion and Deery. The terms are to be the same as at the last with the exception that Dion gives Deery only 50 points in 500. It comes off on the 9th inst.

Eastern States.

WASHINGTON, Feb 2—The Senate confirmed the following nominations: George L Woods, of Oregon, to be governor of Utah; George A Black secretary for Utah; A Hinman collector of customs for Oregon district and W R Brown postmaster of Napa City, Oalfornia.

WASHINGTON, Feb 3—In the house Sargent introduced a bill for the sale of timber lands in California. The bill defining swamp and overflowed lands referred. On motion of Johnson the Senate bill to create an additional land district in California was passed.

Rumor says several members of the cabinet will be superceded by the first of March but these gentlemen disclaim any knowledge of the changes So far as is known there is no present prospect of a re-construction of the cabinet.

Second Dispatch.

California

SAN FRANCISCO. Feb 3—The sch Tolo, while working out of Caspar creek on the first inst went ashore and became a total loss. The crew were saved, but 2 men belonging to the mill while endeavoring to rescue them were drowned.

Arrived—Sch Ocean Pearl, Newcastle Island.

Sailed—Bk Mary Bell, Hong Kong. Brig Manilla, whaling voyage.

LOS ANGELOS, Feb 3—Lieut Handburg U S A. arrived here to-day for the purpose of making observations of the force and direction of the tidal currents in the bay with a view to fortification by torpedoes in case of necessity.

Oregon.

PORTLAND, Feb 4—The stmr Ajax arrived from San Francisco last night and will sail on Wednesday next.

Europe.

LONDON, Feb 3—A dispatch to the *Times* from Versailles yesterday says that Favre refused to attend the conference or appoint a substitute; but will authorize *M* Dissol, the present French Charge d'Affairs in London, to act as the representative of France.

Garibaldi will be included in the armistice.

The election for members of the National Assembly will take place on the 8th. The Assembly will consist of 753 Deputies and will meet on the 12th at Bordeaux.

Dispatches from many ports of France concur in expressing determination of the people to continue the war until the terms proposed by Germany are greatly ameliorated.

Following is the text of that portion of the convention for an armistice concluded between Bismarck and Favre which relates to operations in the East: Military operations in the Departments of Jura and Cote d'Or, as well as well as the siege of Belfort shall continue independent of this armistice until an agreement is arrived at regarding the lines of demarcation, the tracing of which throughout the Departments mentioned is reserved for an ulterior demonstration.

Gens Faidherbe and D'Argent, refusing to evacuate their positions in accordance with the terms of the armistice, have received orders from Bordeaux to comply.

SAARBRUCKEN, Feb 2—Another call on the landwehr between 27 and 47 years of age was issued to-day to form new reserves. 300.000 men will be ready to march into France at a short notice.

Third Dispatch.

Europe.

VERSAILLES, Feb 1—The Emperor visited Valerien yesterday. He leaves the army at the close of the armistice. Should the war be prolonged it will be pursued with relentless vigor. Prince Frederich Charles, Mantouffel and Falkenstein are to be entrusted with the task of conquering the South. Moltke will etain supervision.

The condition of Paris is terrible. The populace is violently excited against England. Favre has requested the German authorities not to allow any Englishmen fo enter, as their lives would be endangered.

BORDEAUX, Feb 4—Active preparations are making for the elections. A meeting held today indulged in abuse of Favre and resolved to oppose to the death all attempts to sever Alsace and Lorraine.

BRUSSELS, Feb 2—The peace negotiations created great consternation in the camp of the Imperialists, who had hoped to treat directly with Bismarck.

LONDON, Feb 2—At a meeting of the conference to-day Russia fully gained her object. All her pretensions were admitted. She yielded nothing and Turkey gains no new feature.

BIARR, Feb 3—Garibaldi is retreating southward.

LONDON, Feb 3—The conference met this p. m. All the Powers save France were represented.

A preliminary electoral meeting at Paris had declared in favor of Victor Hugo, Guizot, Garibaldi, Gambetta, Roussait and Doran.

BRUSSELS, Feb 4—The *Gaulois* says Bourbaki has succumbed to his wounds.

LONDON, Feb 3—50:000 Prussians are now marching on Havre.

Bismarck points to Gambetta's decree of ineligibility of former functionaries as a corroboration of the fear that he expressed to M, Favre, that the elections would not be free. Bismarck protests against the decree, and says that Germany will only recognize freely elected Deputies.

LONDON, Feb 4 — The conference, after a prolonged session, adjourned till Tuesday.

About 180.000 prisoners were taken at Paris, also 1500 cannon, 400 field pieces and mitrailleurs; gunboats on the Seine, rolling stock and railways are likewise appropriated by the Germans.

BRUSSELS, Feb 3—It is said an attempt was made to assassinate Trochu.

The Orleans Princes will not stand as candidates.

Eastern States

NEW YORK, Feb 4—Senator Morton will replace Secretary Fish, the latter resigning from personal considerations.

A committee of the Chamber of Commerce resolved to notify the American Minister at Paris that $20.000 will be placed to his credit to be used in the purchase of supplies for the Parisians. Subscription lists have been opened.

European Mail Summary.

By the Isabel we have received our English files to the 30th December. The news is meagre. Diamonds of great value and in large numbers continue to be found at the Cape of Good Hope. A new diamondiferous track had been discovered and the old ones were keeping their ground. The diggings now extend over 100 miles of country and the population has increased to 15.000. One man has found two diamonds valued at £120.000 News from Natal reports that one party belonging there had found diamonds to the value of £150.000, one gem found by them weighing 105 carats, which has been lodged in the Natal Bank. The Star of Beaufort West, a splendid gem of over 88 carats, has been exhibited at Cape Town for the benefit of the Ladies' Benevolent Society The Earl of Orkney has been gazetted bankrupt. His lordship is one of the representative peers for Scotland, sitting, just as a member of the House of Commons does, for the existence of this present Parliament and no longer. The question arises, therefore, whether he, being a bankrupt, does not thereby forfeit his seat the same as a banktrupt commoner. An extraordinary accident happened on Dec. 23d to two young Scotchwomen who slept together, at Castle Douglas. A suffocating smoke having awakened the master of the house, he arose and found that it came from his daughters' bedroom, and on going there he found the bed on fire and the two girls dead from suffocation. To warm their feet they had taken to bed with them a hot brick, which being overheated ignited the feathers. The Flying Squadron, under the command of Rear-Admiral F. B. P. Seymour, C. B. would depart from England on or about Jaanuiy 1st, 1871, for Lisbon. General Sir James Yorke Scarlett, speaking on the 24th ult at a Conservative meeting at Burnley in Lancashire, attributed the disasters under which France is now suffering to an overweening confidence in her own prowess and good fortune. He was afraid that England was in much the same predicament. The Royal Marriage, the *Court Journal* says, will take place early in March. The case of Sir William Russell, M P, charged with unlawfully obtaining goods on credit, was again before the Lord Mayor of London on the 26th Dec. After a very brief deliberation his Lordship dismissed the summons on the ground that there was no evidence to show that the purchase of the rails, which formed the subject of the prosecution, was made by the defendant. A revenue return shows that in the financial year 1869 70 there were 146,049,640 penny stamps issued by the Inland Revenue Department, producing a revenue of £608 540. This number was 4,000,000 more than in the preceding year. The people of Normandy and Picardy are crowding to England. They prefer exile to the tender mercies of an enemy who is capable of exacting a contribution of £680,000 from a single city—a city, too, which gave him little or no trouble. Messrs Samuda Bros, shipbuilders, of the Isle of Dogs, have nearly completed three iron vessels on Russian account. It is stated that these ships are intended for commercial purposes, but it would appear that they could easily be converted into men-of war.

THE AMERICAN VIEW OF DIVES—The *New York Times* reports the Rev Henry Ward Beecher as saying, in his sermon on the recent Thanksgiving Day:—'When I look at our immense resources, and consider the spirit of our people, I feel that all the splendid dreams of our poets will fall short of the glorious reality. There are fortunes to be made in this country yet in comparison with which those at the present day will fall into insignificance. The time will come when the possession of a million dollars will not be considered enough to entitle man to a rank among the rich of our land. This prospect is a source of pleasure to me, and I say, in view of it, 'Get money at any price short of a sacrifice of your manhood and personal honor.' People who take ground against riches are generally without any themselves. It is true that wealth may be a power for evil in the land, but there is nothing in the nature of things that necessitates that.'

A man wrote to Horace Greeley for a situation, and received the following letter in Horace's handwriting: "This is the 2000th application in a week. *Go* to the devil. I can't hire every d—d fool." The document was signed Horace Greeley, but no one could read it. The man presented it to the cashier, who looked it over and handed the man $2000 supposing it to be an order for his salary, and he has been drawing his salary on that letter, regularly for six months since.

A. GILMORE, MERCHANT TAILOR, and General Outfitter, has removed his place of business to the store adjoining the Colonial Hote and opposite the Colonist Office, on Government street, fourth door from Yates, where he proposes to give his old friends and new customers a chance on the principle of quick sales and small profits. *

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New York August 15th 1868.

Allow me to call your attention to my PREPARATION OF COMPOUND EXTRACT BUCHU, the component parts are, BUCHU, LONG LEAF, CUBEBS, JUNIPER BERRIES:

MODE OF PREPARATION—Buchu, in vacuo, Juniper Berries, by distillation, to form a fine gin. It is extracted by displacement with spirits obtained from Juniper Berries; very little sugar is used and a small proportion of spirit. It is more palatable than any now in use.

Buchu as prepared by Druggists, is of a dark color. It is a plant that emits its fragrance; the action of a flame destroys this (its active principle), leaving a dark and glutinous decoction. Mine is the color of ingredients. The Buchu in my preparation predominates, the smallest quantity of the other ingredients are added, to prevent fermentation; upon inspection it will be found not to be a Tincture, as made in Pharmacopœa, nor is it a Syrup—and therefore can be used in cases where fever or inflamation exists. In this you have the knowledge of the ingredients and the mode of preparation.

Hoping that you will favor it with a trial, and that upon inspection it will meet with your approbation,

With a feeling of profound confidence.

I am, very respectfully,
H. T. HELMBOLD

Chemist and Druggist of 19 year's experience

---

rom the largest Manufacturing Chemists in the world.

NOVEMBER 4 1864

"I am acquainted with Mr. H. T. Helmbold; he occupied the Drug Store opposite my residence, and was successful in conducting the business where others had not been equally so before him. I have been favorably impressed with his character and enterprise.

WILLIAM WEIGHTMAN,

Firm, of Powers and Weigh man, Manufacturing Chemists Ninth and Brown treets, Philadelphia.

HELMBOLD'S

FLUID EXTRACT

BUCHU!

For weakness arising from indiscretion. The exhausted powers of Nature which are accompanied by so many alarming symptoms, among which will be found, Indisposition to Exertion, Loss of Memory, Wakefulness, Horror of Disease, or Forboding of Evil; in fact, Universal Lassitude, Prostration and Inability to enter into the enjoyments of society.

THE CONSTITUTION

Once affected with Organic Weakness requires the aid of Medicine to strengthen and invigorate the system, which HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU invariably does. If no treatment is submitted to, Consumption or Insanity ensues.

Helmbold's Fluid Extract Buchu

affections peculiar to females, is unequalled by any ther preparation and all complaints incidental to the sex, or the decline or change.

Helmbold's Fluid Extract Buchu

AND

IMPROVED ROSE WASH

Will radically exterminate from the system diseases arising from habits of dissipation, at little expense, little or no change in diet, no inconvenience or exposure, completely superseding those unpleasant and dangerous remedies. Copaiva and Mercury, in all these diseases.

USE

Helmbold's Fluid Extract Buchu

n all diseases of those organs, whether existing in male or female, from whatever cause originating, and no matter of how long standing. It is pleasant in taste and odor, "immediate" in action, and more strengthening than any of the preparations of Bark or Iron.

Those suffering from broken down or delicate constitutions, procure the remedy at once.

The reader must be aware that, however slight may be the attack of the above diseases, it is certain to affect the bodily health and mental power.

All the above diseases require the aid of a Diuretic. HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU is the great Diuretic.

Sold by Druggists everywhere Price $1.25 per bottle, or 6 Bottles for $6.50. Delivered to any address. Describe Symptoms in all communications.

ADDRESS,

H. T. HELMBOLD

Drug and Chemical Warehouse,

594 BROADWAY, NEW YORK

NONE ARE GENUINE unless done up in steel engraved wrapper with fac-simile of my Chemical Warehouse and signed

H. T. HELMBOLD.

Notices.

V. R.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

SEALED TENDERS, ADDRESSED TO the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, are hereby invited to be sent to this Office, by noon of the 6th proximo, for the construction of a trail from a point on the left bank of the Skeena River, near the junction with it of the Westerquah River, to the west shore of Tatlah Lake, opposite the point known as Tatlah Landing, crossing Babine River at the head of Babine Lake.

The trail is to be constructed on a line to be laid out by an Agent of this Department, and in accordance with a specification which may be seen at this Office.

The proposed trail is to be divided into two sections, the first extending from the Skeena River to the right bank of Babine River, and the second from the said right bank of Babine River to Tatlah Lake, including a bridge across Babine River.

Government proposes as remuneration for this work, a charter granting the privilege of levying certain tolls for a stated period. The competition, therefore, will be on the rates of toll and duration of charter. Tenderers are to offer for the construction of each section separately, stating in full the schedule of tolls they propose to be authorised to charge, and for what period of years, as compensation for the work of constructing each such section.

The Government intend to reserve in any charter that may be granted power to resume the charter-right after three months' notice, on payment to the grantees of the actual cost of the work executed, to be ascertained and decided, in case of dispute, by the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works or other officer appointed for that purpose by the Governor, with 25 per cent added thereto as profit on the undertaking.

With each tender must be enclosed a bond (forms of which may be obtained at this Office) of the person tendering, and of two responsible sureties with him, for the payment to Government of Five Hundred Pounds (£500) conditional on the non-fulfilment by the tenderer of the terms of the tender, if accepted within fourteen days from the date up to which tenders are hereby invited.

The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender that may be sent in.

JOSEPH W. TRUTCH.

Lands and Works Office,
Victoria, 27th January, 1871. ja29

NOTICE—RE MORRIS DOBRIN.

ALL PERSONS WHO HAVE ANY CLAIMS against the above estate are requested to send in their accounts to the undersigned on or before the 6th of February next, otherwise they will be precluded from sharing in the first dividend

C. STROUSS, } Trustees.
W. B. WILSON, }
ja31

POWER OF ATTORNEY.

DURING MY TEMPORARY ABSENCE from the colony Mr A F Keyser holds my Power of Attorney. J W KEYSER.

Victoria, B C, Jan 26, 1871 ja27 1m

NOTICE

IN FUTURE OUR MARKET WILL CLOSE at 9 o'clock, P.M., on Saturday.

STAFFORD & HICKIN,
Cor Government & Johnson Streets.

Victoria, V I, Jan 26, 1871. ja27 1m

NOTICE.

THE MARKETS AT THE CORNER OF Yates and Douglas streets, and at the corner of Government and Johnson streets, will be closed in future at 9 o'clock p. m. on Saturday evening.

ja27 FRED'K REYNOLDS.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia

IN BANKRUPTCY.

THE BANKRUPTCY ACT, 1867.

WHEREAS A PETITION FOR A ADJUdication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 25th day of January, 1871, hath been duly filed by David Cameron of Belmont, British Columbia and he having been declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to one of the Judges of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, at the Court House James Bay, at the adjourned sitting of the Court on Wednesday the 1st day of February proximo, and on Wednesday the 22d day of February, at the hour of 12 o'clock, noon, of each day, and there and there to make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects, when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the final sitting to choose Assignees, and at the last sitting the said Bankrupt is to finish his examination.

All persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr Richard Woods and Mr Charles E. Pooley, the Official Assignees, who have been duly appointed as such, and give notice to Mr HENRY S. MASON, James Bay, Solicitor in the matter of the Petition.

Dated this 20th January, 1871.

RICHARD WOODS, } Official
CHARLES E. POOLEY, } Assignees.
ja21

Notice to Miners and others requiring Machinery.

DR CARRALL HAVING STATED IN the Legislative Council that the Foundry at Victoria was not of sufficient capacity to manufacture the Machinery required by the Lane & Kurtz Company, and in order that the public may not be misled by such statements, we in justice to ourselves, we have to state that our foundry with the present tools can manufacture Machinery of ten times the capacity of the machinery imported by the Lane & Kurtz Company, and as cheap as can be imported from San Francisco

SPRATT & IRVING,
ja27 1m Albion Iron Works, Victoria.

NOTICE

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I will only accept COIN for RENTS as Well as other payments to be made to me.

ja20 L. LOWENBERG

Royal Hospital.

SUBSCRIBERS TO THE ROYAL HOSPITAL are respectfully informed that their Annual Donations are now due and will be thankfully received by

A. F. PEMBERTON,
de4 Treasurer.

MR. HELMCKEN

MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE Victoria, between the hours of 9 and 12 in the morning, or at his residence, James Bay, in the evening.

de4

NOTICE.

THE BUSINESS HERETOFORE CARried on by WM DALBY, Government st, on and after the 1st day of January 1870, will be carried on under the name of

DALBY, WILSON & CO.

All claims against Wm Dalby must be presented for payment before the 10th of January, and all amounts due to Wm Dalby not paid by that time will be placed in the hands of our Solicitor for collection

DALBY, WILSON & CO.

Victoria, B.C., January 3d, 1871 ja4

PUBLIC NOTICE

ALL PERSONS IN OCCUPATION OF Surveyed Lands in the undermentioned Districts, viz—

Esquimalt,	Quamichan,
Metchosin,	Somenos,
Sooke	Comiaken,
Highland,	Cedar,
Kennedy,	Chemainus,
Lake,	Cranberry,
North Saanich,	Mountain,
South Saanich,	Nanaimo,
Shawnigan,	Comox,
Cowichan,	

the right to purchase which Lands is legally held by Pre-emption Record under the "Vancouver Land Proclamations of 1861 and 1862," which Records were made prior to the 1st January, 1870, are hereby required to pay into this Office the amount of the Installments due thereon, on or before the 31st March next ensuing

By Command, JOSEPH W. TRUTCH.

Lands and Works Office
Victoria B. C., 20th December 1870.

CARD.

HAVING SOLD OUT MY STOCK IN Trade to Mr. W. J. Jeffree, I take this opportunity of thanking my friends and the public for past favors and solicit a continuance of the same for my successor, who I feel satisfied will merit the same.

Victoria Jan. 11, 1871. LEWIS LEWIS.

I WOULD RESPECTFULLY INFORM the Public of Victoria and vicinity that I have this day purchased from Mr Lewis Lewis of Yates Street, his entire Stock of Custom Made Clothing, Underclothing and Furnishing Goods and intend importing by every steamer, New and Fashionable Goods such as the market may require, which I intend selling at prices to suit the times

Victoria, Jan. 11, 1871. W. J. JEFFREE

ja13

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the undersigned will please present the same for payment at the store lately occupied by me on Yates Street. All persons indebted to me will please pay on or before the 25th inst. All accounts outstanding after that date will be placed in the hands of my Solicitor for collection.

LEWIS LEWIS.

TO LET—The Store adjoining, apply to Lewis Lewis.

Victoria, January 11 1871. ja13

Reid's Big Bend Express,

CARRYING HER MAJESTY'S MAILS—Will leave Cache Creek the 1st of Every Month for Big Bend, via Tranquille, Fort Kamloops, Buck & Pringle's Ranch, head of Okanagan and Spillachum River.

All EXPRESS MATTER for any of those places may be forwarded by Barnard's Express to Cache Creek, from which point it will be taken by Reid's Express to its destination, at Reasonable Rates. Any Business entrusted to this Express Will be carefully attended to.

ja3 P. REID

Germansen Creek Mines.

SAW MILL

FOR—

Germansen Creek!

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS IN PROcess of construction at the Albion Foundry, in this city, machinery for a 10 horse power Sawmill to be erected on Germansen Creek, six miles from its mouth. This machinery will be sent to its destination at the earliest possible day, and miners and others may depend on being supplied with

All Kinds of LUMBER at Reasonable Rates.

Workmen are now engaged at the Creek in getting out lumber for erecting the building. The mill will be in working order before high water next Spring.

Jan25d&wlm JOHN QUAGLIOTTI.

FOR SKEENA RIVER.

THE STEAMER "EMMA,"

CAPTAIN KTTERSHANK,

Will sail for the Mouth of Skeena River (if sufficient inducements offer) on or about the 1st February

For freight or passage apply on board ja28

THE SHORTEST & CHEAPEST ROUTE

TO THE

Peace River Gold Diggings

IS BY THE

SKEENA RIVER!

THE UNDERSIGNED IS NOW prepared with authentic Charts and Maps of the entire route from Victoria to the Head waters of the Skeena, and will give the most reliable information to persons bound to the mines.

Steamers and Sailing Vessels will be laid on, and Freight and Passengers taken at very moderate rates.

For information apply to JER NAGLE,
ja7 Shipping Agent.

Omineca Gold Mines

SKEENA RIVER ROUTE

WE HAVE MEANS AT OUR command that will enable us to freight Goods from the mouth of Skeena river to the Forks for

TWO AND A HALF CTS PER LB.

We will also convey Passengers from the Mouth to the Forks for the fare of

FIFTEEN DOLLARS EACH!

Each passenger will be allowed to carry 100 lbs of freight without extra charge.

We are also prepared to supply miners with OUTFITS and General Merchandise at reasonable rates, and shall transact a FORWARDING and COMMISSION BUSINESS

CUNNINGHAM & HANKIN.
Skeena Mouth and Forks of Skeena.

For further particulars apply to
ja20 J. NAGLE, Shipping Agent.

Educational.

McCLURE STREET

Dancing Academy.

THE INCREASING ATTENDANCE AT this Class requiring a larger room than the one used at present, it will in future be held at the

GYMNASIUM HALL,
VIEW STREET,

On Tuesday and Friday, commencing TUESDAY EVEN'G next, January 31st, at eight o clock

An efficient Band in attendance ja29

CENTRAL SCHOOL

THE BOARD OF EDUCATION FOR VICtoria City and District being unable, for the present, to re-open the Public School, MR J. JESSOP begs to inform parents and guardians that he will open the

CENTRAL SCHOOL, View st near Douglas

On WEDNESDAY next the 1st February

The course of Study will comprise all the usual English branches; together with Latin, Greek, Hebrew, French, and Instrumental Music, under thoroughly competent Teachers

TERMS—The English branches, including Vocal Music, $2 per month. Classics, French, and Instrumental Music will be charged as extras.

ja23 J. JESSOP, Principal

E O SELIGER,

Teacher on the Piano and Violin and of Vocal Music.

Residence—Cor Fort and Douglas streets.

PARENTS AND OTHERS DESIROUS to take lessons, can obtain information at Mr Jungermann's Jewelery Store, Government street, whose hes kindly agreed to receive all orders.

Evening Parties and Balls attended on the shortest Notice. Also, Pupils taught at their homes if desired ja14

School for Boys.

ON MONDAY, THE 30th JANUARY, A School will be opened in the building on Yates St between Douglas and Blanchard Streets at the old Bull's Head Tavern. The teacher has had three years experience in the Public Schools of Nova Scotia and California, and is capable of teaching Classics, French and Mathematics.

For particulars apply at the school building between the hours of 10 a m and 1 p.m. each day.

ALEX. MEACHEN,
Victoria, Jan 24th, 1871. Master of Arts.
ja26

BOYS AND GIRLS SCHOOL,

CORNER OF RAE and BLANCHARD STREETS,

WILL RE-OPEN ON TUESDAY, JANUARY 3rd, 1871, teaching Reading, Spelling, writing, Arithmetic, Geography, Grammar, English History Book keeping, Sewing and all kinds of Fancy Work.

TERMS—$1 50 per month

de30 1m MISS BARRY.

SCHOOL NOTICE.

Madame Potibeau's

SCHOOL,

FAIRFIELD TERRACE, TOP OF FORT ST.

Will re-open on MONDAY, January 9th, next.

dec25 1mis.

LAKE SCHOOL DISTRICT.

THE SCHOOL TAX FOR 1871 IS NOW due and payable to the undersigned

GEORGE LINDSAY,
January 31, 1871. Treasurer of the Local Board. ja4

St. Andrew's Church CONCERT.

A CONCERT WILL BE GIVEN IN ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH

BY THE CHOIR,

Kindly assisted by the Members of other Choirs in the City, on

Thursday, the 9th of February, 1871,

COMMENCING AT 7 30 O'CLOCK, P.M.

Tickets of Admission, $1 50 each. To be obtained of Members of the Committee and Ladies of the Congregation and Church Managers. ja27

JOSEPH GOSNELL,

DEALER IN

Groceries and Provisions

ISLAND & OREGON PRODUCE

COR. OF DOUGLAS AND CORMORANT STREETS.

Goods delivered Free of Charge for carriage. ja28

Miscellaneous.

H. F. Heisterman, REAL ESTATE AGENT

LANGLEY St, NEAR COR. OF YATES.

WILL SPECIALLY ATTEND TO THE Negotiation of Loans, to Selling, Purchasing, and Leasing Property, and every other branch of the Real Estate business.

Maps and Charts of all the different districts and towns of the Island, and also of the Mainland, may be inspected free of charge at his office.

Intending purchasers of Lots, Dwelling Houses, Homesteads or Farms, will find a large number on his list from which to make a selection

Parties desiring to Lend Money on Mortgage can always obtain the Best Securities and Advice.

—ALSO—

MONEY TO LEND on Long Time at low rates of interest.

Every kind of Convence executed with dispatch.

Manhattan Life Assurance Co OF NEW YORK,

H. F. HEISTERMAN,
General Agent for British Columbia. oc26 1y

W. C. S. SEELEY,

Organ and Pianoforte BUILDER

Tuner and Repairer of all kinds of Musical Instruments.

Charges Very Reasonable.

OFFERS FOR SALE LOW THE BEAUTIFUL ORGAN, preserved from the fire at Christ Church Cathedral, and since Refitted and IMPROVED with Composition Pedals and a Gold Front.

All Orders left at the Australian Hotel, James Bay bridge, will be promptly attended to jy27 6m

Saws Sharpened

...BY...

Jas. Goudie

IN A NEW STYLE THAT WILL SAVE half the labor usually expended in cutting wood. Give him a trial. Locks altered, keys fitted and general repairing done.

ja5 FORT STREET OPPOSITE MRS BAILEY'S

THEO. H. DAVIES,

[LATE JANION, GREEN & CO.,]

Importer and Commission Merchant,

AGENT FOR

Lloyd's and the Liverpool Underwriters,

HONOLULU, SI ne12 6m

DR. CHING FUN—A CARD—EDITOR British Colonist:—Through the medium of your paper I want to state the very great good that has been done me by Dr Ching Fun of this city, next door to Kwong, Lee & Co For 24 years I suffered with neuralgia on the brain, which baffled the skill of three firstclass american physicians. Latterly bronchitis attacked my right lung, and my eyes became awfully inflamed. Despairing of ever being cured I placed myself as a last resort in the hands of Dr Ching Fun, and after three months treatment I am a well man and feel that I cannot sound the eminent Chinese gentleman's praises too loudly, so that all my countrymen similarly affected may visit him and find relief Respectfully,

JOHN HENTON, of Kentucky, US

Victoria, 3d August, 1869 ja4

MISS COLES

FASHIONABLE MILLINER AND DRESSMAKER,

At MR BOSWORTH'S STORE, Johnson street, near Government. ja6 2m

SAVE YOUR MONEY AND HEALTH,

By Buying Your Candies of

A. W. PIPER,

Government Street.

THE LIBERAL PATRONAGE OF A generous public has enabled me to still further

Reduce the Price of my Manufactures.

From this date I will Retail Candies of the following Prices:

Sugar Almonds,
Burnt Almonds,
Chocolate Cream,
Chrystalised Candies,
Peppermint Lozenges,
Conversation do
Gum Drops,
Fordants,
Cassias, &c at 50 cts per lb

PLAIN CANDIES, SUCH AS

Sticks, Drops, Barley Sugar and Acidulated Drops, 37 1-2cts per lb

Broken Candies, 25 cts per lb.

A CORRESPONDING REDUCTION AT WHOLESALE.

SUGAR TOYS, all of my own make, at the Lowest prices.

WEDDING CAKES on hand and make to order on the shortest notice. ja11

LEA & PERRINS'

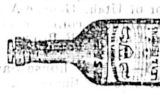
CELEBRATED

Worcestershire Sauce,

DECLARED BY CONNOISSEURS

TO BE

THE ONLY GOOD SAUCE



CAUTION AGAINST FRAUD.

The success of this most delicious and unrivalled Condiment having caused certain dealers to apply the name of "Worcestershire Sauce" to their own inferior compounds, the public is hereby informed that the only way to secure the genuine is to

ASK FOR LEA & PERRINS' SAUCE

and to see that their names are upon the wrapper label stopper, and bottle.

Some of the origin markets having been supplied with a spurious Worcestershire Sauce, upon the wrapper and labels of which the names of Lea & Perrins have been forged, L. and P. give notice that they have furnished their correspondents with power of attorney to take instant proceedings against Manufacturers and Vendors of such, or any other imitations by which their right may be infringed.

Ask for LEA & PERRINS' Sauce, and see Name Wrapper, Label, Bottle and Stopper.

Wholesale and for Export by the Proprietors, Worcester; Crosse & Blackwell, London, &c. &c.; and by universally.

A. JANION, GREEN & RHODES.

Shipping.

"SHIP GOLDEN AGE."

NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR the undersigned Consignees, will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.

SPROAT & CO,
de4 Wharf street.

NOTICE.

HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY'S BARK Lady Simpson, from London—Neither the Captain nor the undersigned will be responsible for any debt contracted by the crew of the vessel.

JAMES A GRAHAME,
Chief Factor Hudson Bay Company.

Victoria, V I. Dec. 1870 de28

FOR PUGET SOUND!

THE SPLENDID NEW STEAMER

Olympia.

CAPTAIN.....DBFINCH

Will leave Victoria for Olympia and Way Ports every **Tuesday Morning** and **Thursday Evening** until further notice.

FARE.....TWO DOLLARS.

no29tf

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY

HEAD OFFICES—Liverpool and London.

CAPITAL

Two Millions Sterling

Life Department

ADVANTAGES TO ASSURERS:

1. UNQUESTIONABLE SECURITY.

Value of total Life Liabilities..... £1,005,677
Total Assets to meet these Liabilities..... 1,272,343
Surplus on hand beyond Liabilities..... £ 266,666

[EXTRACT FROM AUDITOR'S REPORT:

LIVERPOOL, July 30th, 1870.

"Every Security consisting of Life Policies, Title Deeds Bonds, Notes, Railway Shares and Government Stock held here as stated in the Balance Sheet has been seen and examined by us."

Signed, JOSEPH YOUNGHUSBAND, CHRIST'R ATKINSON } Auditors

The Liability of the Shareholders of the Royal is unlimited.

2. Large Participation in Profits by the Assured.

Profits are divided every five years among participating policies in existence two years or upwards at the end of the year preceding the declaration of the profits realized.

3. Exemption of the Assured from the liability of Partnership.

4. Life Claims can be settled without Reference to England.

Fire Department.

ADVANTAGES.

1. The Capital Stock of the Company an unquestionable security to the assured in case of Loss or Damage by Fire.

2. Claims are settled with promptitude and liberality.

SPROAT & CO.
AGENTS,
fe1 British Columbia.

NOTICE:

HENRY NATHAN Jr & Co

HAVING DETERMINED TO

CLOSE

THEIR

PRESENT BUSINESS

OFFER THE WHOLE OF

Their Stock

At Private Sale

AT REDUCED PRICES!

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C. FRANCIS BARNARD, M. D.

Mechanical & Surgical Dentist

GRADUATE OF HARVARD COLLEGE, MASS.

SEE SPECIMENS OF THE DR'S handiwork, both in the removal and fitting of Teeth, and in the mounting of partial or full sets, as exhibited by him in the first window north of the London House, Government street

Patience and Gentleness are the governing principles of his office.

ROOMS AND RESIDENCE:—Douglas street, south of Fort street.

Victoria, July 26, 1870. oc27

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

Vancouver Bakery, Fort St.

GEORGE THOMSON HAVING REMOVed to his New Store, three doors east of Douglas street, thanks the inhabitants of Victoria and neighborhood for the liberal support received by him since he has been in business, and hopes by strict attention to the same and keeping a first rate article to still merit a continuance of past favors.

GENUINE BROWN BREAD.

FAMILIES waited upon daily by his Express Cart. ja7

Dry Goods, Etc.

New Goods.

Findlay, Durham & Brodie

HAVE RECEIVED

EX 'ADA,'

AND

"LADY LAMPSON,"

FROM LONDON,

Liquors:

SCOTCH WHISKY—Thorne's celebrated blend in qr cks and cs. Also Lochnagar in cs

IRISH WHISKY—Dunville's in qr cks, octaves and cs

BRANDY—Hines', equal to Honnessy, in qr cks and hhds

OLD TOM—Swaine Boord's in cs

SHERRY—In bulk and case

GINGER LIQUEUR—In cs

DEKUYPER'S GENEVA—In Green and Red cases

Oilman's Stores. Provisions, &c,

A full assortment of Crosse & Blackwell's Stores

PICKLES—

TEA—Congou in hf chests

SAGO—

Cocoa, Soap, Candles (Price & Belmont's

Sundries:

Nobles & Hoare's celebrated Varnishes

Letchford's Inks

Shot and Ball

Guns—double and single

Iron—Bar and Sheet

TIN PLATE

TWINE—Fishing, Seine and Baling

PERFUMERY—Hair Oil, Violet Powder, Windsor Soap, &c.

AND A FULL ASSORTMENT OF

Dry Goods & Blankets

Hats & Caps,

Clothing, Boots & Shoes

ja10

WHOLESALE Dry Goods.

WE HAVE RECEIVED EX CORSAIR a full Stock of

Clothing, Blankets, Hosiery, &c.

FOR THE WINTER TRADE.

ja27 J. H. TURNER & CO.

THOMAS HODGES,

BAKER & GROCER,

DOUGLAS STREET,

BREAD & GROCERIES

Delivered by my cart to any part of the city FREE OF CHARGE. de21

To the Unfortunate.

New Remedies! New Remedies!

DR. GIBBON'S DISPENSARY

No 623 Kearney Street Corner Commercial, San Francisco, established in 1854, for the treament of Sexual and Seminal Diseases, such as Gonorrhœa, Gleet, Stricture, Syphilis in all its forms, Seminal Weakness, Impotency, etc., etc. Skin diseases of years standing, and Ulcerated Legs, etc., successfully treated.

DR. GIBBON has the pleasure of announcing that he has returned from visiting the principal hospitals of Europe, and has resumed practice at his dispensary, 623 Kearney street, corner of Commercial where his old patients and those requiring his services may find him.

The Doctor has spared neither time nor money in seeking out new remedies, and has returned with increased facilities for the alleviation of human suffering.

Seminal Weakness.

Seminal emission is the consequence of self-abuse. This solitary vice, or depraved sexual indulgence is practiced by the youth of both sexes to an unlimited extent, producing with unerring certainity the following train of morbid symptoms, unless combatted by scientific medical measures, viz: Shallow countenance dark spots under the eyes, pain in the head, ringing in the ears, noise like a rattling of leaves, or rattling chariots, uncasiness about the lions, weakness of the limbs, confused vision, blunted intellect, loss of confidence, diffidence in approaching strangers, a dislike to form new acquaintances, a disposition to shun society, loss of memory, pimples, and various eruptions about the face, hectic flushes furred tongue, fœtid breath, consumption, night sweats, monomania and frequently insanity. If relief be obtained, you should apply immediately, either in person or by letter, and have a cure effected by his new and scientific mode of treating this disease, which never fails of effecting a quick and radical cure.

Cured at Home.

Persons at a distance may be cured at home, by addressing a letter to Dr Gibbon, case, symptoms, length of time the disease has continued, and have medicine promptly forwarded, free from damage and curiosity, to any part of the country, with full and plain direction for use, by inclosing $10 in coin, in a registered letter, through the Postoffice or through Wells, Fargo & Co.

A package of medicine will be forwarded by express to any part of the Union.

Persons writing to the Doctor will please state the name of the paper they see this advertisement in.

Private entrance on Commercial street.

All communications strictly confidential.

Address: DR. J. F. GIBBON,
no27 1y P. O Box 1957, San Francisco, California.

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